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Total Claims 23 -23 ** = 0 X 18 = 0
Independent Claims 3 -3 ** = 0 X 84 = 0
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1202	18		2202	9		Claims in excess of 20	
1201	84		2201	42		Independent claims in excess of 3	
1203	280		2203	140		Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
1204	84		2204	42		** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
1205	18		2205	9		** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	

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1052	50		2052	25		Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053	130		2053	65		Non-English specification	
1812	2,520		2012	2,520		For filing a request for reexamination	
1804	920*		2004	920*		Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*		2005	1,840*		Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110		2251	55		Extension for reply within first month	
1252	410		2252	205		Extension for reply within second month	
1253	630		2253	315		Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,450		2254	725		Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	1,970		2255	985		Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	320		2401	160		Notice of Appeal	
1402	320		2402	160		Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	280		2403	140		Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510		2451	1,510		Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110		2452	55		Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,300		2453	650		Petition to revive - unintentional	
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